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Subject: Draft amendment for interview on Monday at 11 am.

Look forward to speaking with you on Monday. Note: These are draft remarks so please do not enter into official record.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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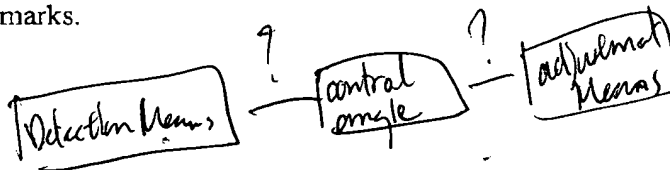
Title: AUTOMATIC HEADLIGHT AXIS
DIRECTION CONTROL FOR VEHICLESAssistant Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the appended remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) An automatic headlight axis direction control system for a vehicle comprising:

a vehicle information detection means for detecting information used for controlling a light axis direction of a headlight of a vehicle;

a control angle calculation means for calculating a light axis control angle to adjust a light axis direction of a headlight on a basis of the detected information;

a light axis direction adjustment means for adjusting moving the light axis direction such that the light axis direction of has the headlight on a basis of the calculated light axis control angle relative to a predetermined axis;